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GENERAL NEWS.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.

De Lesseps' Movements.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—The *Bulletin* says: Our private information confirms a cable dispatch announcing the definite formation of De Lesseps' canal company imminent. It is probable, moreover that the syndicate will embrace the support of banking houses in this city and San Francisco. The bankers appear to have concluded that De Lesseps as the successful promoter of the Suez canal will insure sufficient subscriptions for the first issue of about 500,000,000 francs. There is good reason to believe that the leading Panama canal stock will be placed on the market by a syndicate of American bankers in a few days who will act under the supervision of the American government.

Voluntary Starvation.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—A citizen of Grand Rapids, Michigan, thinking he had cancer of the stomach, abstained from food 65 days and died of starvation. A post mortem examination showed his brain to be the only diseased part of his body.

Gossip about the Grants

GALENA, Aug. 30.—Gen. Grant positively asserts he has refused positively the presidency of the Las Vegas Mining Co., which was recently tendered to him. Jesse R. Grant of New York, is here for three or four days and does not deny that he is shortly to marry the daughter of a wealthy San Francisco man, and will start west soon.

Death of the Hon. Robert McClelland.

DETROIT, Aug. 31.—Hon. Robert McClelland died at 10 minutes past 10 this evening, having never recovered consciousness since having been stricken Saturday afternoon. This death leaves but two of President Pierce's cabinet surviving—his postmaster general, Judge Campbell, of Philadelphia, and Jeff Davis his secretary of war.

Suicide of a Methodist Minister.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 31.—Rev. D. K. De Hodis, a Methodist minister of Gloucester, N. J., and publisher of the *Christian Herald* at that place, jumped from a ferry boat while crossing from Camden to Philadelphia, at 12 o'clock to-night and was drowned. He left a packet in which was a letter addressed to G. B. Lloyd, of Gloucester.

Work Resumed.

SCRANTON, Pa., Aug. 31.—All coal mines in this region have resumed work on full time.

Coming Home.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—Victorious turners of Milwaukee, who took a large number of prizes in Europe over all European turners, are on the ship *Hoedam*, expected to-day. A grand reception will be tendered them.

Hideous for the East.

CHICAGO, Aug. 31.—There arrived in the city this morning, by the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railway, the Creedmoor rifle team of the regular army, destined east to test their skill as marksmen.

Report from the N. P. R. R. Grain Belt.

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—A careful examination of the condition of the wheat crop in the great wheat belt on the line of the Northern Pacific railroad has been made for the associated press, and it can be stated that the reports of its being in danger in consequence of wet weather are unwarranted. The late sowing delayed seeding and harvest fully two weeks, and the last week of cloudy weather along the line has interfered with threshing; but the crop is safe, and with favorable weather will begin moving largely this week —fully three weeks later, however, than last year. The Dalrymple farm alone will require 35 cars a day to take care of the grain as it is threshed.

The construction force engaged on the extension of the Northern Pacific railroad west of the Missouri will complete the grading to the Yellowstone early in October. The president of the road has directed the chief engineer to have the track laid next year, ready for the location of a wealthy San Francisco man, and will start west soon.

Wheat Yield.

A St Paul correspondent of the *Times* claims 40,000,000 bushels of wheat as the yield of Minnesota this year. He says: This is several millions more bushels than have ever been counted in a single year in a state where an exact system of returns and statistics prevail. California, which up to this time has been the heaviest wheat producing state grew 36,000,000 bushels last year to Minnesota's 31,000,000. The average in California has not increased as it has here, and though San Francisco papers claim a large increase through the heavier yield of fields, it is hardly likely that the whole amount will exceed what was grown in Minnesota and Dakota.

Grain Shipments from Buffalo.

BUFFALO, Aug. 31.—The total grain receipts for August exceed the largest movement of any preceding or corresponding period, by over 25,000,000 bushels, and are very nearly equal to the entire shipments for the season of 1879, while gains in shipments by canal for the season, foot up nearly 20,000,000 bushels, and show an increase of total revenues of $38,718, and clearances of boats 2360 over the season of 1879.

Census Has a Round Million.

YORKTA, Ke Aug. 30—The U. S census supervisor gives the following as the population of the state, according to returns of district supervisors. First district, 259 336; second, 335 699; third, 404,344; total of state, 996 300, and the population is now undoubtedly a round million.

Keys about the Plattsmouth Bridge.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb. Aug. 31.—For more than a year the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad has been building a railroad bridge over the Missouri river, a few miles below this point, the object being to have a crossing independent of the toll bridge at Omaha. The structure was tested to-day in the most thorough manner, four hundred tons weight of locomotives going over each span. The bridge stood the test easily. There is a draw in it, but its centre span rises to such a height that steamers readily pass beneath. It is made of steel. The inspecting party was composed of about sixty prominent railroad engineers and railroad officials from different sections of the country, and a considerable number of journalists. All these gentlemen express themselves thoroughly satisfied with the test. This new departure in railroading is regarded as highly important in this part of the country, as it may lead to results beneficial to the public.

Movement for the Protection of Trees.

BOSTON, Aug. 30.—The American Association for the Advancement of Science have met here in general session. A number of new members were elected, and Cincinnati selected as the place for the next meeting. The committee to memorialize congress and state legislatures regarding the cultivation of timber, recommended a law protecting trees planted along highways, and the encouragement of such plantations by re ieving them from highway taxes, and exempting from taxation of the increased value of land from the planting of trees where none were growing, for a period that may be designated, or until profit may be realized from such plantation; also, by the appropriation of money to agricultural and horticultural societies to be applied as a premium for their planting, and for prizes for the best essays and reports on subjects of practical forest culture, and by encouraging educational institutions to introduce a course of instruction having reference to practical sylvaculture by laws tending to prevent forest fires, by imposing penalties against wilful or careless setting of fires, and enlarging and defining the powers of local officers in calling for assistance and in adopting measures for suppressing them; by establishing, under favorable circumstances model plantations, and by the appointment of a commissioner of forestry, under state authority, analogous to the commission of fisheries. A committee was appointed to memorialize congress to bring about co operation on the subject.

"Fritz" Emmett in a Bad Light.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—On application of the wife and son of Joseph K. Emmett, "Fritz," a warrant has been issued for his arrest on a charge of being a habitual drunkard and neglecting to properly care for his family, and in order that he may be confined for a short time in some institution to correct his habits.

A Serious Charge.

Ten persons have been arrested in Covington county, Alabama, charged with beating and intimidating U. S. witnesses, and destroying processes from U. S. courts.

Damaging Flood in Richmond.

RICHMOND Va. Aug. 31—This city was visited last night by one of the fiercest storms ever known in this section. For two hours rain fell in torrents, accompanied by almost incessant thunder and lightning. The rush of water in the streets is so great that Shockoe creek in the lower part of the city, was swollen to an angry torrent which overflowed its banks, and flooded the whole vicinity. Many cellars were filled, and buildings bordering on the creek inundated. The occupants, mostly colored, were awakened by the rush of water into their houses. The scene in the neighborhood of the swollen stream was terrible.

Women and children were at the windows holding lamps and screaming for help. The night was pitch dark and often cries were heard from points where no one could be seen. Men waded about in the water saving the lives of members of their families while their property was being washed away. Merchants also sustained considerable loss by the flooding of cellars in other parts of the city. The streets were badly washed and several bridges in the suburbs were swept away. Lightning struck in several places, but no serious damage was done. No loss of life is yet reported.

Personal.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 31.—President Hayes and wife and Gen. Garfield and wife arrived this afternoon, and went to Canton, Ohio, to be present at a grand soldiers' reunion there to-morrow.

Preparing for Trouble.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—Equipment will be ordered to-morrow of the forty-two life-saving stations along the New Jersey coast, a month earlier than usual, because of the prediction of unusually heavy gales. Two hundred and fifty-two men compose the life saving patrol.

Chicago Clearing House Statement.

Chicago, Aug. 31.—The *Inter Ocean* reports the returns of the Chicago clearing house for August at $137,000,000, against $96,000,000 for the corresponding month of last year. This shows an increase of 42 per cent. Clearings for the first eight months of the year are reported to be $1,053,000,000, against $738,000,000 for the same period in 1879, showing an increase of 43 per cent.

New York City Debt Statement.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—Comptroller Kelly's annual statement shows a decrease in the city debt for the past year of $3,430,385.

Mystic Park Races

BOSTON, Aug. 31.—At the races at Mystic Park, for the 2:50 class, Nasby won; Kelso, 2d; best time, 2:27. For the 2:22 class, purse $1000, won by Parana in three straight heats; Kumma B, 2d; best time, 2:22½. For the 2:19 class, $1000, divided, won by Wedgewood; Driver, 2d; Sheridan, 3d; best time, 2:20½.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Mint Vaults to be Built.

Supervising Architect Hill said to-day that the unexpended balance—some $6000 or $7000—of the $23,000 appropriated last session for the construction of additional silver vaults remaining after the erection of a vault in the Philadelphia and one in the San Francisco mint, would be applied to the construction of a third at some other point—perhaps at the New York sub-treasury.

Coinage Work at Philadelphia.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—Gold that is being sent to the mint from New York will probably not be coined for some time to any great extent owing to the fact that there is so little demand for it. It is assayed and U. S. coin is paid for it. For the present most of it will be simply stored. Eventually all this foreign coin now arriving will be melted and recoined into eagles and half eagles. Now, the most that is being done at Philadelphia is to make standard dollars. The amount of gold coined monthly is greater than silver, but the number of pieces is very much less.

A Remarkable Fraud

Chief Brooks, of the secret service, received information to-day of a new scheme for swindling in vogue in Mississippi. Some ingenious rascals have made photographs of greenbacks and circulated them in back counties among ignorant people as new style of government check. They discounted them, and then parties who took them circulated them a while until they found their way into a local bank, the fraud not being detected. They sent over $19 000 worth to the treasury for redemption, where the fraud was instantly discovered.

Railroad Mail Service in the Southwest.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—Transportation of mails has been ordered over the recently completed portion of the Southern Pacific railway from Yuma, Arizona, to Benson, Arizona, nearly 300 miles. This completes the continuous route of mail transportation by rail from San Francisco through the entire length of California and nearly across the southern portion of Arizona, a distance of over 1000 miles. Transportation of mails over the Arizona end of the route begins Sept. 20th, and will be the first railroad mail service ever performed in the territory.

Public Debt Statement.

It is stated that the receipts for August will aggregate $30,500,000; expenses, $16,500,000, exclusive of interest on the public debt, which is light. The acting secretary of the treasury estimates the decrease in the debt for August to be over $13,500,000.

The first and second volumes of the official records of the late war, are in hands of printers.

INDIAN AFFAIRS.

News of Ouray's Death Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31—Acting Secretary Bell, of the interior department, received a dispatch last evening from Mr. Mooneyhenny, chairman of the Ute commission, dated "Southern Ute Agency, August 28th," which confirms the published report, of Chief Ouray's death. Up to the receipt of this telegram, which it will be observed was six days on the way, Bell was inclined to discredit the report of Ouray's death. The dispatch says: "Ouray died this morning. The commission fear that this may embarrass their work. Held a full council yesterday, but no Indians signed the treaty. Ignato and other chiefs opposed it."

Ouray Possibly not Dead.

The interior department has slight hopes that Ouray is not dead after all, as it received no confirmation to-day.

The Ute Crisis Passed.

WASHINGTON, Aug 31.—A dispatch from Col. Meacham of the Ute commission, dated Los Pinos, 28th, states that the crisis in Ute affairs has passed. Seventy Uncompahgre and White river head men and chiefs, have placed their bands under the direction of the agent. They have accepted Sapavanari as chief and have agreed to preserve Ouray's memory intact and to proceed immediately to complete ratification and enrollment. You need have no fears. Agent Berry is equal to the emergency and has the confidence of the Utes at Los Pinos and White river. Ouray is not dead for peace.

Successor to Ouray Elected

Los Pinos, Aug. 29.—A grand council yesterday elected Sapavanari as Ouray's successor. He had the confidence of Ouray to whom, however, he was inferior. The Utes killed five of Ouray's best horses to accompany him to the happy hunting grounds.

Indian Outbreak in the Southwest.

LAKE CITY Aug 31.—Gen. Atwood arrived in Ouray last night. He reports an Indian outbreak in Grand valley in which the Southern and White river Utes, Pah-Utes and Navajoes are concerned. On the 26th inst. they attacked three in the Wilson buys, capturing their horses 130 miles west of Ouray and six miles inside the Utah line, and two of the boys were killed, the other making his escape with a wounded lad. The inhabitants of Grand valley, Parachute and Battle Mountain have marched at Sevier Lake to join settlers in Colorado.

Ysleros wants to Treat.

SANTA FE, Aug. 31—Advices are received from the south that a few scattered bands of Apaches are raiding ranches about sixty miles from El Paso. It is reported that Victorio's band is still in the Cordelaric mountains, Mexico. Advices state that Victorio has requested of the Mexican government a meeting for treaty purposes with commissioners of surrender in view. The Mexican government would not grant it without consulting the U. S. government. This move of Victorio indicates that the forces of New Mexico and Texas combined, are too much for him, and knowing that the United States will accept nothing but an unconditional surrender which would likely result in his death, he wishes to make a conditional surrender to the Mexican government, which cannot likely be accomplished, as Gov. Terrazzas, who will have much influence in the matter, is a heavy loser by Victorio's raids.

POLITICAL.

Prospects for a Grand Republican Victory in Maine.

CHICAGO, Aug. 31.—The *Tribune's* Maine advices say: From all parts of the state come most cheering reports. The interest of intemperance, engineered and carried on by democratic capital and for democratic ends, has resulted in sinking its movers in disgrace, stirring up more earnest and profound feeling among honest temperance men for the support of the republican cause. The announcement of Mr. Dove, fusion ex secretary of state, is having a powerful effect upon republican gubernatorial backers. His voice rings like a trumpet over the state, calling upon all backers to beware of the democracy and rally to the republican standard. The quiet but sure work among voters is producing grand results. The present week will be one of unparalleled effort in the state, as voters begin to realize that the election will sound the key note of the national struggle.

The Maine Campaign.

A letter was received from Commissioner Rainn to-day. He reiterates his belief that Maine will go over 5000 republican. It is understood that the reason the democrats dropped the fight in that state is that they are short of money and did not propose to waste any in doubtful fields.

Political Straws.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—The *Herald* concedes Maine to the republicans and forecasts an undiminished republican majority in Vermont. It adds: "If the fame and loyalty of Hancock captures no republican votes in Vermont, there will be little to fear on that score in other states."

The *Times* announces the conversion to republicanism in Vermont of Hon. Smith Ely, a life long, wealthy and influential democrat, who has large capital invested in mining interests and whose monthly pay roll embraces over 11,000 men.

Trying to Smooth Things Over in New York.

NEW YORK, Aug. 30—Irving hall this afternoon sent to Tammany hall a series of resolutions looking to and proposing a conference to adjust differences existing. The communication was responded to by Tammany, who appointed a committee of eleven to confer with a similar one from Irving hall Wednesday evening.

Tammany Makes a Concession.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—For the purpose of uniting, harmonizing and consolidating the democracy, the Kelly state committee, chosen at the Saratoga Hall, September 1, on the 30th of April, revokes its call for a state convention, and ratifies the call of the Faulkner state committee for a convention at Saratoga Springs on the 28th of September.

Secretary Sherman Opens the Campaign.

CINCINNATI, Aug 30—John Sherman secretary of the treasury, delivered his first speech in the campaign at Pike's Opera House to-night. Major A. T. Goshorn presided. The opera House was profusely and most tastefully decorated with flags and flowers, and was crowded with people long before speaking began. The secretary was enthusiastically greeted when he was introduced.

Why Arthur was Removed from the N. Y. Collectorship.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 31.—In reply to a question by one of the audience at his speech last night, as to the cause of the removal of Gen. Arthur as collector of customs, Sherman said: "I have never said one word impugning Gen. Arthur's honor or integrity as a man and a gentleman; but he was not in harmony with the views of the administration in the management of the custom house."

The Sand Lot Crowd for Hancock.

NEW YORK, Aug. 31.—The *Express* prints an interview with A. B. Dodge, of San Francisco, who declares that California will give her electoral votes for Hancock. Two thirds of the ward presidents of the workingmen's clubs have declared for him. Kearny has has now no following. Three fifths of the workingmen in the state are democrats

Gen. Devens on the Stump.

Attorney General Devens is on the way to Canton, Ohio, to attend a soldiers' reunion to-morrow. At Muncie, Indiana, he will deliver his first political address in September. He also speaks at Indianapolis on the 4th and at South Bend on the 6th. He will visit the Minnesota state fair at Minneapolis on the 8th and expects to return to Washington on the 12th.

Nebraska Republican Convention---A New Lease all Round.

OMAHA, Aug. 31.—The Nebraska state republican convention meets at Lincoln to-morrow to nominate a full state ticket and member of congress. Most of the delegates went to Lincoln to-day from various portions of the state. Governor Vance, the present incumbent, will be nominated for governor again without doubt, also Lieut. Gov. Carner and the rest of the state officials, in all probability, with the exception of State Auditor Leidtke, who at present is under a cloud. Hon. E. K. Valentine, present member of congress, will very likely be nominated, as he has given satisfaction and no candidate of any prominence has been mentioned as opposed to him. It is safe to say that the convention will passoff harmoniously. The convention opens at 3 o'clock to-morrow forenoon, and it is not likely that more than a temporary organization will be accomplished the first day.

CRIMINAL MATTERS.

An Old Man Murdered by his Nephew.

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 21.—John Hamilton, a wealthy farmer of Ionia, was shot and instantly killed by his nephew last night. Hamilton was 76 years old, and Wm. H. McKenny, his assailant, is not 18. His father is wealthy, and resides in Brooklyn, New York. The boy wanted to be on a farmer, and his father brought him west to spend the summer at his uncle's. He remained there till a few weeks ago, when he became dissatisfied and went to a neighboring village to work in a mill. At his settlement with Hamilton the sum of $18 was due, and procuring a livery rig last evening, he drove to the farm. Hamilton being at home, he demanded the money. His uncle told him that his son would settle as soon as he threshed his grain. This did not satisfy McKenny, who became abusive and threatened to attach the wheat. Hot words ensued, and Hamilton ordered him out of the house, and started to put him out, when McKenny drew a revolver and shot twice, the second passing through Hamilton's heart, causing death in a few minutes. McKenny gave himself up to the officials, and is now in jail.

Outrageous Murder.

DENVER, Aug 30.—Jas. Bennett, of Troy, fireman of the engine on the Denver and Rio Grande railroad, was shot and killed this evening at San Antonio station by a party of drunken men while Bennett was in the cab firing thirty shots. Capt. Sponse, Jas. Canon and Jas. Nichols were arrested and are now in jail at Conejos. The railroad men have organized for protection, and lynch is feared.

A Bridegroom Murdered.

A *Tribune* special says: John Mullens of Silver married a daughter of Mosquito Bill last Wednesday. He was shot from the bush and instantly killed yesterday. No clue to the murderer.

CANADA.

Smallpox among Northern Indians.

OTTAWA, Aug 31—A great exodus from the upper Saskatchewan reports over 100 deaths among the Indians from small pox. Several bands have divided up into small parties and are traveling north, leaving their dead unburied.

The Case in a Nutshell.

[From the Boston Transcript.]

The experience of the greenbackers who have been stumping the south is invaluable, as these men went to that region strong in the belief of the subsidence of all the passions connected with the great "unpleasantness." They found to their sore disappointment, that the sole electioneering capital of southern democracy is drawn from the war feeling latent in the states composing the confederacy. They have also found that free speech would not be tolerated wherever reckless could not be counterbalanced by the most shameless corruption. The greenback stumpers have only to tell their story the nothern north to make it as solid for greenback rights as the south is for this by solid 54 of the party thrown in which respect to resume its ascendancy in the national counsels.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Irish Legislation.

LONDON, Aug. 31.—In the house of commons to night debate on the constabulary vote was resumed. Parnell asked if Forster, in the event of landlords continuing to misuse their power, would advise introducing parliament during recess to pass a law protecting tenants. Mr. Forster did not expect that it would be necessary.

The vote by which the house of commons passed the Irish constabulary bill last night was 105 to 23, the government's majority 76. Two Englishmen, Joseph, member for Newcastle-on-Tyne, and Charles Bradlaugh, member for Northampton, both radicals, voted in the minority. About twenty conservatives supported the government. No attempt was made at obstruction.

The Employers Bill.

LONDON, Aug. 31.—The house of lords this evening passed the employers' liability bill as amended in that body. A motion to reinstate a section entitling claims to be preferred against an employer in case of injury caused by negligence on the part of any person in the service of such employer, was rejected without division. The savings banks bill was read the second time

The Expected Heir.

MADRID, Aug. 30.—On the occasion of the birth of the expected heir to the throne, the government will grant amnesty to Cuban insurgent leaders now imprisoned in Spain.

The Persecuted Jesuits.

PARIS, Aug. 31.—Newspapers announce that the police will to-day visit Jesuit scholastic institutions throughout France to execute the decrees against unauthorized congregations. At a Jesuit establishment at Dijon yesterday the police found only one regular priest, who is now director of the establishment, and one Jesuit, representing the society in its civil capacity as proprietor of the building. It is believed that the police will find all establishments of the society similarly evacuated.

The French Schools.

PARIS, Aug. 31.—Three large Jesuit schools in Paris have been entirely evacuated, and the authorities have walled up the doors of the establishments. New civil directors have already been installed in the vacant posts. It is rumored that the government and various unauthorized religious confraternities have agreed upon the terms of a letter which is to take the place of a demand for the submission required by the law. By this letter the heads of schools will bind themselves to hold aloof from political questions and not to take an attitude of hostility towards the present order of things.

A Proposed Jesuit Mission.

ROME, Aug. 31—The pope has essented to the proposal that a portion of the French jesuits should form a society for propagation of the faith in central Africa.

German Affairs.

BERLIN, Aug. 31.—Twenty-eight members of the reichstag and landtag have published a declaration announcing their secession from the national liberal party. They declare it to be their intention to uphold political liberties already achieved and to combat oppressive and indirect taxes. They also insist upon religious freedom being guaranteed by legislation.

Official Visit.

BERLIN, Aug. 31.—Bismarck went to Potsdam yesterday and visited the prince and princess of Bulgaria, who returned the visit at Berlin to-day, remaining some time at the residence of the chancellor.

Roumania.

BERLIN, Aug 31.—Prince Bismarck and the prince of Roumania, have discussed the advisability of making Roumania a kingdom, Germany favors this step.

The Proposed Demonstration.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 31.—Albanian chiefs declare that when the ships appear Albanians will enter Montenegro and retake Kastrati. Riza Pasha, the Turkish commander, reports the state of affairs to be very critical and Albanians much excited. Riza Pasha's house is guarded by 1500 soldiers.

A correspondent writes that the Albanians are arriving in Dulcigno in small numbers. About 2500 are now there. He believes that the powers will have to land troops to make a settlement.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 30—The European powers will not invite Turkey to participate in the proposed demonstrations.

The Greek Navy.

VIENNA, Aug. 31.—On the return of the king of Greece to Athens, the Greek navy will be placed on a war footing.

Servia and Bulgaria.

PHILIPPOPOLIS, Aug. 30—It is declared in well informed circles that the announcement of the conclusion of an offensive and defensive alliance between Servia and Bulgaria is unfounded.

Skobeloff's Force.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 31—It is confidently stated that Gen. Skobeloff has only 2500 men. It may be presumed that offensive operations on a large scale are not likely for some time.

The Candahar Siege Practically Raised.

The British political officer at Candahar, telegraphs that the country is quieting down. Ayoob's force is reduced to regulars and a small number of Ghazis. It is reported that he wishes to retreat to Garat and Girshk, but is prevented by Cabul troops. The siege is practically raised. A large quantity of food was brought in yesterday.

LONDON, Aug. 31.—The viceroy of India, in a telgram, states that tribal gatherings threaten the communication of Gen. Phayre.

Steamer Disabled.

LONDON, Aug. 31.—The steamer *Virago* from New York, July 31, for Hull, has put into Portland; machinery disabled.

That Wicked Returning Board.

[From Harper's Weekly.]

The democrats have denounced the Louisiana returning board as the most iniquitous of institutions, a mere device for monstrous fraud, unconstitutional and wicked. There are a great many persons who have been persuaded by democratic declamation that the Louisiana returning board was the means of defrauding the country of a rightful result at the last election. But the democrats have been in complete possession of Louisiana for three years. They have, of course, repealed this wicked law? Far from it. They were in power in the state in 1872, and they made the law more stringent. They are in power now, and the law is unrepealed. Like many laws supposed to protect the oppressed, it may be enforced so as to increase oppression. The Louisiana returning board was a republican device to protect bulldozed districts. It will now be used by democrats to annul republican majorities. The virtuous horror affected by democrats was a campaign trick. The democratic returning board will do its share in making the south "solid" by throwing out republican majorities wherever they shall seem to throw doubt upon the result. We shall hear no more from democrats of the appalling wickedness of the returning board.

Sir Lands.

[From the Rural Spirit.]

In Eastern Oregon, says Washington matter of the lands, and particularly those that are now open to and rated as cheap lands, a fir land—mostly, for as the natural growth of timber up to the surface. As we are very frequently in quest of such information, we, without giving leave, mention the fact that in this county one of the enterprising farmers on the Lacamas this season harvested over 35 bushels of fine finest wheat he ever saw from each acre on his farm; and that he also nearly three tons of clover from every acre. The land referred to has been in cultivation seven years and has never had other fertilizer except a half barrel of gypsum (land plaster) to the acre about every other year. There are millions of acres of the timber land west of the Cascade range now subject to entry, pre emption and homestead, and the same amount that can be bought for from $2 50 to $10 per acre.

The Public Credit and the Democratic Party.

[From the New York Tribune.]

Now that it seems the confidence and votes of the people, the democratic party claims to be the champions of sound money. The old proverb that liars should have good memories might well be amended into to read liars and deceivers. Mr. Blaine, who is always sure of his facts, shows in his Bath speech that the latest important acts which impugn sound currency—the public credit act of 1869 the funding act of 1870, and the resumption act of 1875—were all resisted by the entire democratic party in congress. He shows also that Mr. Bayard and Mr. Thurman, the two democratic leaders who have been most conservative on the financial question, supported a bill that would have paid off the debt at from 3% to 4% cents on the dollar, and thus dishonored the nation and blasted its credit.

THE NORTHWEST.

Western Oregon.

George Cline, of Salem, has secured the contract from the O. & C. R. R. Co. to get out 15,000 ties for the Lebanon branch.

Some Lane county farmers did not take the precaution to vitriol their wheat when they sowed it, and now the more ants reject their wheat on account of smut.

Edwin Smith, living about 7 miles from Salem, died on Sunday morning after an illness of but a few hours. He was between fifty and sixty years old and leaves a wife and three children.

The report of the resignation of President Lambert of Willamette University is for the present unfounded. He will not in any event resign until the school is thoroughly organized for the coming year.

A correspondent writing from Dexter Lane county, says: The very wet weather we are having it is feared will be very injurious to the balance of the grain crops that are yet in the fields, also to the hops that are nearly ready to gather.

Mr. Cooper, contractor on the narrow gauge railroad, will this week locate a camp of 120 Chinamen near McAlister's mill, and start to work grading on the feeder, which extends up into the Waldo hills near Col. Geer's farm and joins the main line near the center of Howell prairie.

Statesman: On Saturday last the receipts of wheat at the Kinney mills in Salem, were 5500 bushels. The mills are running on half time as the wheat is not dry enough for heavy grinding for foreign markets. In a week more they will turn out 500 barrels every 24 hours. The present price of wheat here is 70 cents per bushel. The price is not yet fairly settled.

The following is a summary of assessments for Polk county for 1880: Number of acres of land, 118,843; total value, $1,398,825; acres of railroad land, 6954; total value, $15,008; value of town lots, $13,225; improvements, $318,900; merchandise and improvements, $296,080; money, notes, accounts, shares of stocks, etc., $77,193; cattle, 3768; value, $30,320; horses and mules, 3153; value, $157,586; total value of household furniture, carriages, watches, etc., $77,192; sheep, 17,506; value, $21 540; swine, 4184; value, $4860; gross value of property, $2,748,938; indebtedness, $307,300, exemption, $174,530; total taxable property, $1,747,105; number of polls, 813.

Eastern Oregon.

There are a number of cases of scarlet fever in Pendleton.

The taxable property of Umatilla county for 1879 was according to official returns, valued at $1,881,622; the ax was 21 mills.

A party of excursionists from Pendleton, camped in the Blue mountains about a week, and gathered 100 bushels of huckleberries.

A. J. Bean, who resides on the Meadows, jumped from his horse last Tuesday evening, and broke his arm. He is now at the Pendleton hotel for treatment.

Washington Territory.

Over one thousand visitors have been entertained at Ilwaco and North Pacific beach this season.

An addition of sixty-five volumes has lately been made to the public school library at Goldendale.

Nelson B. Lloyd, of Palsha, fell dead from his wagon last Thursday. The cause is said to be heart disease.

Capt. Al. Harris killed five deer and four elk the first few days hunting on the peninsula below Oysterville.

W. A. Wash, H. R. Cox and Miss Ella D. Nelson have been employed as teachers at the Goldendale academy for the ensuing year.

A packing company at Olympia now puts up thirty dozen one pound cans of clams per day. The clams are mainly obtained from Mud bay.

In Chehalis county, Thomas Abernethy has been nominated by the republicans for auditor, B. G. Hotchkiss for probate judge, Geo. C. Cooper for sheriff, and W. Webster, T. Knapp and S. Goodwin for commissioners.

William Thompson, for twenty years a resident of Steilacoom, a fortnight of that time proprietor of the Bank Exchange, has closed up his business there preparatory to leaving for New Tacoma. Workmen are busy in that town building a house for him.

The Chambers' mill property, comprising 320 acres of land, with mill, dwelling house, etc., situated thereon, was sold last week to gentlemen from California for the sum of $3500. It is the intention to establish at once an extensive furniture factory on the place.

At a sheriff's sale at Steilacoom last Thursday, 326 acres of land were sold at 10 cents per acre. The farm belonged to S. W. Hall, and the sale was made to satisfy a judgment. The price realized was not sufficient to pay the costs of sale. There is understood to be a blemish on the title.

About 1000 tons of barrel material was shipped by the *Dakota* last week from the Sound: 300 tons from Tadmus and 700 tons from the Eagle mill, Seattle. This material will make 42,000 barrels. Messrs. Sohns and Roote are managers of both institutions and are thinking of moving the Puyallup factory to Seattle.

Articles of incorporation of the Puget Sound Salmon Packing Company were filed in the auditor's office on Thursday last. The incorporators are T. G. Wilson and John Leary of Seattle, and George T. Myers, of Portland. The principal place of business will be at Milton, at the mouth of Hylsmuish bay, opposite Seattle.

A new quartz ledge has been discovered on the south fork of the Puyallup that promises finely. Specimens have been sent to the government assay office, San Francisco, and if the outcome is as good as expected arrastas will be put in at once. The rock contains gold, silver and copper, and it is thought the discovery will prove a veritable mine of wealth to Pierce county.

On the 20th of August the body of an old gentleman was found dead at Mr. Charles Pendleton's place on South Palouse. An investigation of the circumstances showed that he had been thrown from a horse, striking his head on the corner of a sharp stone. The name of deceased was James McMarlan, aged about 60 years. He is said to have considerable property, consisting of horses, an interest in a quartz mill, etc. He was from New York, and it is thought has friends there.

British Columbia.

The burnt district in Yale is being rapidly rebuilt.

Tunnel work about Yale is being pushed with vigor.

The Yale brick kiln has burned 40,000 bricks of good quality.

The vegetable crop, particularly melons, water and musk, potatoes and onions, also the orchard fruit bearing, are the best they have seen for the last 18 years in the vicinity of Yale.

The gunboat *Rocket*, by command of Admiral Cooper, proceeded on Monday evening to the assistance of the wrecked steamer *Otter*. The *Princess Louise* left Esquimalt on the same errand yesterday morning.

First Rate Advice.

The Rev. Henry Ward Beecher some time ago received a letter from a young man who recommended himself very highly as being honest, and closed with the request, "Give me an easy situation and the highest salary you can afford." To which Mr. Beecher replied: "Don't be an editor if you would believe." Depend on the law. Avoid school-keeping. Keep out of the pulpit. Let alone all stage, stores, hops and merchandise. Abhor politics. Keep away from lawyers. Don't practice medicine. Be not a farmer, nor a mechanic; neither a soldier nor a sailor. Don't study. Don't think. Don't work. None of them are easy. Oh, my dearest friend, you are in a very bad world! The low est but one real 'easy' place in it. That is the grave.

DRS. HIGH WARDEN & BAGLEY, HAVING PERMANENTLY LOCATED IN SEATTLE, W. T. wish to announce that they are prepared to remove all Cataracts and Abdominal Tumors WITHOUT THE USE OF THE KNIFE; and can treat and cure all female diseases by our new mode and in fact on with a degree of success heretofore unknown to the profession. We refer to a large number of patients that we have treated and to the following well known and responsible gentlemen whom we have treated and dismissed cured, all of whom had been pronounced incurable by eminent surgeons: Hon. Daniel Bagley, late Professor of orthopedic and Practice of Surgery in Michigan Central Medical College, will respond promptly to calls in Oregon and Washington Territory. Address

DRS. HIGH WARDEN & BAGLEY, Seattle, W. T.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

The Freedom of San Francisco Granted to Hayes.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—The board of supervisors have passed resolutions tendering the freedom of the city to President Hayes and appointed a committee to prepare for his reception.

The Hayes Programme.

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 31—The citizens held a meeting to-night to arrange for the reception of President Hayes and party. It was resolved that a formal reception on behalf of the capital city take place on the 21st of Sept. and the day succeeding. A committee was named and requested to go to the state line and welcome the president.

It consists of Gov. Perkins, Senator Booth, and Mayor Turner. A committee of twenty-six was named on general arrangements, with Gov Perkins as chairman.

It is understood here that the president passes here on the 8th of Sept., attends admission day exercises at Oakland on the 11th; departs soon thereafter by sea for Oregon; returns overland and reaches Sacramento Sept. 21st.

Assessment.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31.—Bullion assessed $1.

Denial.

Leading bankers of the city say that the report that San Francisco banking houses would join a syndicate to float the shares of DeLesseps' canal company, is without foundation and that nothing is known in banking circles of any such movement.

Demurrer Sustained in the Price-Dewey Suit.

In the suit of Rodman M. Price vs. S. P. Dewey, to recover about one million dollars, the circuit court has sustained defendant's demurrer on the ground that no new facts have been discovered since the trial of the suit in New York in 1852.

Alien Duke for the "Ship Chung" Paid Under Protest.

The *Ho Cuang* entered at the custom house, paying the regular tonnage dues of 30 cents per ton and $1 per ton extra dues as an alien ship—the latter under protest. Extra duties of 10 per cent on cargo will also be paid under protest. The whole matter will come before the secretary of the treasury for final decision.

Sprague Taken to San Quentin.

SAN BUENAVENTURA, Aug. 31—F. A. Sprague left jail here at 10:40 last night, after a compulsatory residence therein of two years and a half. To avoid any possible chance for excitement, the sheriff had kept his own counsels as to his movement, and Sprague thus astonished when waked up to be ironed at the above hour. Taking him in a carriage, Sheriff Delroy and Under Sheriff Easter drove over to Santa Barbara where the latter took passage with his prisoner on San Quentin.

NEVADA.

Accident to the Belcher Pump.

VIRGINIA Aug. 31.—The Belcher pump rod having broken twice in 24 hours, the mine will be shut down till new rods can be placed in the upright shaft, which will take four weeks. Meantime Yellow Jacket will pump water from the 2828-foot level.

ACCIDENTS.

Explosion at Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 31.—A boiler weighing 4000 pounds in the National oil works on Canal street, exploded this afternoon, and was blown 500 yards, in its flight breaking two large telegraph poles and demolishing the Factory street bridge over the canal. Two men and a boy were injured, the engineer probably fatally. Cause of the explosion unknown.

Railroad Accident in Connecticut.

BRIDGEPORT, Aug. 31.—Several persons were killed by a collision on the Housatinic railroad near Parlor Rock this afternoon. Both engineers were fatally hurt. Physicians have gone to the scene.

The "Marine City" Disaster.

DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 31.—Capt. Comer, of the burned steamer *Marine City*, telegraphs that as near as he can ascertain six passengers and two of the crew were lost. The names of the lost are Richard Schultz and James Cook. The names of the missing passengers are yet unknown, except those of a man washed ashore at Sturgeon point with envelopes marked "Watson." There is little doubt that this is Martin Watson, a druggist of this city.

SUPREME COURT.

SALEM, Aug 31, 1880.

Court met at 10 o'clock A. M., full bench being present.

S. P. Turner, resp., vs B. W. Corbett, app; appeal from Multnomah county; judgment of the lower court affirmed. Opinion by Watson J.

S. P. Turner, resp., vs Henry Failing, app; appeal from Multnomah county; judgment of the lower court affirmed. Opinion by Watson J.

E. E. McKinney, assign

The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING SEP 1 1880

WHAT AN ISTHMIAN CANAL WOULD DO

Some days ago we sought in some remarks a solution to the query as to what would be the consequence if the price of wheat in the markets of demand should decline to a figure so low as to absolutely preclude the possibility of exporting the cereal from this coast except at an actual loss on the cost of producing and shipping. Wheat growers are now brought face to face with an exchange with a market value which is so near the cost of production that the producer who accepts present rates must work for nothing and board himself. Wheat is very low abroad and quite as low here as correspond. At the same time ocean freights and ships vessels being firmly held at 62@63s with very few disengaged vessels available. Should there be any quickening of the demand, there would be no chance to profit by it for the few ships at hand would raise their terms so as to absorb the cream of the rise. Thus the wheat producers find their wheat practically locked in. The *Rural Press* having pointed out the dangers which the importing merchants of this coast incurred by entering into contracts with the overland railway companies to bring all their goods by rail, shows that notwithstanding the apparent advantages the merchants gain in the quicker arrival of goods, etc, it was really a suicidal policy, because it would reduce the opportunities to ship wheat, circumscribe the prosperity of our producers and eventually ruin the trade of the merchants by whose consent the new regime in transportation was brought about. It has not taken long to demonstrate the inception of the evil tendency. Those who are well informed on the course of trade assure us that before the close of the year at least 30 ships will be held away from this port because they could not get merchandise for the inward voyage. If this additional number of ships could be expected it would, of course, make a considerable difference in the views of owners as to acceptable rates for charters. Thus it seems that our wheat growers have to think the new contract system between the merchants and the railways for part of the lack in ships which now seems certain.

Another matter is being prominently discussed in California in the same connection, in which Oregon has an equal interest with the balance of the Pacific coast. It is the great waste of time and money caused by the necessity of carrying grain around Cape Horn to find a market. While this is inevitable now, the figures which have been presented showing the immense profit which shipment by a canal across the isthmus would give over the present route around the Horn have induced a feeling that is very general in favor of urging the government to take some steps to accomplish this great work. Were such a canal now passable by ships at the toll of $2 per ton, which it has been estimated would pay interest on the cost of construction and for repairs, the price of wheat here would be increased at least 40 cents per cental. The probable effect of shipping grain by the isthmus as compared with the carriage around the Horn was recently shown by the president of the San Francisco produce exchange. Upon his showing, if the canal was now completed the saving to the farmers of the wheat growing sections of the Pacific coast this year would be over five million dollars. The distance from San Francisco or Portland to Liverpool by the canal would be about the same as to Hongkong. Flour is now carried from San Francisco to Hongkong by steamer at $6 per ton. Suppose that we assume wheat would be carried to Liverpool at $10, including canal tolls, there would be a limit fixed to freights and the difference in our favor between $10 or £2, or as at present, over $15 or £3 paid for ships on an estimated surplus of 1,000,000 tons would be more than $5 000,000. In addition to this is the saving in risks by the long voyage around the Horn occupying an average of four or five months. The average difference in values of cargoes "just shipped" and "off coast" is fully three shillings per quarter. Insurance would be lessened 1½ per cent, and at least three months' interest would be saved—say 1½ per cent—in all, amounting to near $4 per ton. Add to this the $5 difference in freights, and we can readily see that, with the canal completed our wheat would be worth two cents per pound to day in this market, notwithstanding the lower prices in Europe, and in place of saving $5,000 000, would exceed $9,000,000, if our surplus should amount to $1,000 000 tons, as claimed.

PLAYING ON IRISH GENEROUS.

Another Irish patriot is on his way to the Pacific coast. Michael Davitt is his name, and it is announced that he comes to carry out the work of Mr. Parnell, which means that the subscription mill is again to be put in motion, and the generous Irishmen of the country, through inflammatory appeals to their sympathy and patriotism are to be bled again and mostly for the benefit, as usual of some impecunious mountebank who understands the art of phlebotomy. The Irish people of this country remember the old sod and the trials and tribulations of their kindred and their hearts are readily touched by the impetuous appeals made in their behalf. They go down into their pockets liberally, both for fight and famine and too often cures those who get away with the funds. In the turbulent days of Fenian sm, we remember how grandly the Irish people of this nation generally responded to the call for funds to aid in the liberation of down trodden Ireland from British tyranny. And then it will be remembered how the funds were squandered by a lot of windy bloviators in New York styling themselves an Irish congress. Bonds were issued, departments of state instituted and all the requisite machinery for a first class Irish republic set in motion. Then followed a general ruction and the money was soon expended though with the exception of a farcical raid into Canada which was soon squelched, nothing was done. Playing upon Irish generosity has proved a good lead and it has been industriously worked.

STOPPING THE FOOLISHNESS

A dispatch a few days ago announced that a deputy United States marshal went to Covington county Alabama, to arrest men charged with besting and intimidating United States witnesses and destroying processes from the United States courts. He reported that he was met by a force of between twenty five and fifty men armed with shotguns and revolvers who had assembled in the barn of a man named Fenton for whom the marshal had a warrant of arrest. The mob defied the marshal and Fenton refused to submit to arrest saying. When we elect Hancock this business will stop. The United States has no interfere with the country and matters. The New York *Tribune* says: "The mob may seem of small importance, but it really exercises a [illegible] that these ruffians [illegible] Democratic ballot box. These Alabama conspirators [illegible] with concerted action in their efforts [illegible] to defeat upon election day when [illegible] Democrats [illegible] Hancock."

In Lowndes county, Alabama, Judge Duffield republican, got 3380 votes, actually voted for him and put into the box, each voter showing his ticket openly and open as he went to the polls. The democratic vote of the county is not over 1300, and yet they returned a majority of 1500 against him. It was by such frauds that the democratic majority of 75 000 was piled up. The only wonder is that they did not make it 175,000.

The Fenian forces in Ireland number 30,000 and in England and Scotland 11,500. The fund of the brotherhood is about £20 000. There will be a bit of scrimmage yet says the Chicago *Tribune*. The American brotherhood might be lively now if all the members were not candidates for treasurer.

A Bourbon organ innocently says, "when Hancock is elected the country will again enter upon an era of democratic prosperity." It appears to the reader of history who has average intelligence that the country has tired of that kind of prosperity and don't really want any more of it.

The weather was so hot in Chicago that only a few of the templar's commanderies could continue in the parade to the end. This will in a great measure reconcile St. Louis to the census count.

PUBLIC SPEAKING.

Hon. J. H. Mitchell will address the citizens of Southern Oregon upon the political issues of the day at the following time and places:

Ashland, Friday Sept. 3 at 7 o'clock P M
Jacksonville Saturday Sept. 4 at 7 o'clock P M
Canyonville Monday Sept 6 at 7 o'clock P M
Roseburg Tuesday Sept. 7 at 7 o'clock P M
Oakland Wednesday, Sept. 8 at 7 o'clock P M

MARRIED

In this city Aug. 31st, by Judge S. W. Pike J. D. Feltzenhauser and Miss Bertha Baker.

At his residence in Portland Aug 31st by Rev. G. H. Atkinson D. D. Mr. John Williamson of Clatsop county and Miss Eliza Fuller of Multnomah county Oregon.

At the Congregational church in Oregon City Aug 30th by Rev. G. H. Atkinson D. D., Rev. Amos W. Power, pastor of the Congregational Church and Miss Queen N. Miller youngest daughter of Capt. James D. Miller of Oregon City.

DIED

At Astoria Aug 31st Daniel Ingalls a pioneer of 50.

In East Portland Aug 31 Hannah C. wife of Wm. Ian McCurdy.

Funeral will take place on Thursday Sept 2 at 2 P M. from the residence of Mr. Guy Rankin East Portland. Friends are invited to attend.

Dog's mound papers please copy.

In East Portland Aug 31st Lizzie, daughter of James H. and Lottie Sprague, aged 5 months and 5 days.

Funeral from their residence in Sprague's addition Sept 1st at 2 o'clock P M. Friends are invited to attend.

Near Dalles Oregon Aug 4th quick consumption Mrs. Catherine L. Burnett.

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H. VILLARD President. 1t

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SEALED BIDS FOR THE RESTAURANT ICE Cream Stand, Soda Water Stand Candy and Pop Corn Stand with the exclusive right to sell during Fair time, will be received at the Superintendent's office Room 26 Union Block, up to the 20th inst. The Board of Directors reserves the right to reject any or all bids. By order
E. OLDENDORFF, Superintendent.
Portland, Sept. 1 1880. sid179

PORTLAND
MECHANICS' FAIR.
1880

THE ANNUAL EXHIBITION
OF THE
Portland Mechanics' Fair Association
WILL BE
Opened on the 7th and Close on the 23d of October.

The Pavilion is being enlarged by the addition of two wings. The south wing is destined for the Floral Display and the north wing for Machinery exhibited.

INTENDING EXHIBITORS will please file applications for space at an early date by applying to the Superintendent, Room 26 Union Block where all information concerning the Fair will be cheerfully given.

By order of the Board of Directors.
E. OLDENDORFF Supt.
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SEALED PROPOSALS

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR THE CONSTRUCtion of a Two-Story Brick Building at The Dalles, to be used as an Academy, will be received from August 25 to September 1st, a. which last date bids will be opened.

The plans and specifications may be seen and examined at the office of W. Lair Hill The Dalles Oregon any time after August 26th.

The building must be completed and ready for use by December 1st, 1880.

The Board of Directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to execute a bond, with satisfactory sureties in the sum of five thousand dollars, conditioned as is usual in such cases.

Prompt payment will be made as the work advances, the exact amounts and dates to be designated at the time the contract is entered into.

All bids must be sealed and addressed to Dr. Hugh Logan secretary of the Board The Dalles Oregon, and prescribed or endorsed "Proposals for Construction of Academy Building."

By order of the Board of Directors of date of August 21st, 1880.
W. LAIR HILL, President.
H. LOGAN Secretary. au26d1

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STUDIES WILL BE RESUMED IN THE ABOVE School immediately after the arrival of the new principal, on or about Sept 15th. Announcement of the exact date will be made hereafter. aug31dtf

DOWN—SHIRTS FOR MEN AND BOYS ARE offered at extremely low prices in order to close them entirely out at GLOS & KING'S, 147 Third street.

FOR RENT.

THE DINING ROOM AT THE OCCIDENTAL Hotel. Inquire of SMITH & YOUNG, au26dtf nsd

CHOICE HOMESTEAD PROPERTY AT AUCTION.

WE ARE INSTRUCTED TO DISPOSE OF BY auction at the court house door on Tuesday, Aug 31st at 10 o'clock A M, that choice Lot No 1, Block No. 103 situated on the southwest corner Seventh and Hall streets together with Dwelling and Improvements thereon. This property is sold at administratrix's sale, and affords a rare chance to purchase a very desirable home.
au26ded GILMAN & CO Auctioneers.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON MONday, the 30th day of August, the Board of Equalization for the county of Multnomah, state of Oregon will attend at the Court House in said county at the office of the County Clerk to publicly examine the Assessment Roll and correct all errors in valuation, description or qualities of lands, lots or other property and all parties interested therein are hereby notified to appear at the time and place above mentioned.
GEO C SEARS
County Assessor Multnomah County
Aug 4 1880. au6dtd s24nd

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Mr H S Krouse graduate of the Conservatories of Leipsic and Paris has just arrived in Portland and is prepared to receive a limited number of pupils. Thorough instruction given on the Piano Organ and in Thoroughbass. All orders left at the music stores of D W Prentice & Co and Sherman Harris' will meet with prompt attention.

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Fine Black Cashmere, 38-inch wide, 50c per yard.

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WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1—12:30 A. M.—For the north and central Pacific coast region, clear or partly cloudy weather.

CITY.

DEATH OF JUDGE NORMAN.—Many old Portlanders will doubtless remember Judge W. B. Norman, who was at one time engaged in business in this city. For several years Mr. Norman was proprietor of a general variety store at the corner of First and Washington streets. Judge Norman left Portland about seven years ago. As will be seen by the following dispatch, dated Stockton, Cal., the morning of Aug. 26th, published in one of the San Francisco exchanges, Judge Norman is no more: "Judge W. B. Norman died here at 8 o'clock this evening. He was a native of Mississippi, and one of the prominent democrats of that state. In 1856 he was elected state senator from Calaveras, and he was twice elected county judge of the same county. In March last he finished a four years' term as port warden at San Francisco. He was formerly receiver of the land office at Stockton."

PRESS CASTIGATOR.—The lecture by Dr. Atkinson at the Taylor street M. E church last night, on the life and services of Peter Cartwright, the Apostle of pioneer Methodism in the Mississippi valley, drew a very large and intelligent audience, and was filled with interesting points, eloquently brought out and presented. Humorous anecdotes were interspersed among thrilling passages and beautiful metaphors, all making up a lecture of an attractive and interesting character. The third and last lecture of the series will be given at the hall of the Y. M. C. A. at 8 o'clock this evening. All who have heard him in his two previous lectures here have expressed themselves as highly entertained and instructed, and all of them are likely to go again to-night. His subject this evening will be "Our Best Society."

LOOKERS OF THE COUNTY JAIL.—A reporter of THE OREGONIAN visited the county jail yesterday and was surprised at the cleanliness which pervades every portion of the premises. The stone walls have been neatly whitewashed, the wooden partitions painted, the floors oiled, and everything perfectly free from dirt or offensive smell. It is questionable whether a dwelling in the city is any cleaner than the jail since the advent of Sheriff Bechtel and Jailer McManus. The prisoners are required every morning to air their beds and bedding, and assist in keeping their cells clean. The kitchen and dining room are models of neatness and order, as is also the jailer's room. The officers deserve much praise for having brought about a needed sanitary improvement in the jail and deserve credit too, with a very small cost.

DEPARTMENT FOR AGUES.—Following is the list of arrests made by the police during the month past: drunk and disorderly, 182; larceny, 14; assault and battery, 11; disorderly conduct, 11; using obscene and abusive language, 6; disorderly by fighting, 13; keeping gambling house, 1; gambling 2; murder, 1; obstructing building, 3; injuring shade trees, 1; driving over First street bridge faster than a walk, 1; driving on sidewalk, 2; contempt of court, 3; vagrancy, 1; sleeping in barn, not his own, 1; posting bills on telegraph poles, 2; forgery, 1; violating swill ordinance, 1; obstructing sidewalk, 1; held as witness, 3; buying stolen property, 2; digging up streets, 7. Total, 280.

THE MILWAUKIE FIRE.—A correspondent writing from Milwaukie yesterday, says: "The item published in THE OREGONIAN in reference to the fire in Mr. J. H. Lambert's corner was incorrect in some particulars: Instead of 3000 cords of wood being in the woods, not more than 600 remained out of 150 that had been cut. The fire was released solely by Mr. Lambert and his employes by cutting through the timber ahead of the fire and back firing. Great credit is due to Messrs. Cole, Olds and Raymond, Mr. Lambert's wood hands, for their exertions through the afternoon and night, in fighting and watching the fire."

ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS.—A correspondent writing from Dexter, Lane county, sends the following additional particulars of the drowning of young Hyland: "A distressing accident happened near this place yesterday. Mr. Hyland, eldest son of A. D. Hyland, was drowned in the Willamette river. He had waded in to secure a deer that had been killed, but getting beyond his depth could not regain the shore. His body was recovered to-day. He was a young man of much promise, who had but lately attained his majority, and was the pride of doting parents. A dutiful and affectionate son."

A DANGEROUS PLACE.—There is a very dangerous hole at the corner of Sixth and Alder streets, which should be looked after at once by the proper authorities. The recent rains have washed out a hole about six feet long and several feet deep. Teams driven past there after night are liable to get into this place greatly to the danger of life or limb. It should be filled up before some accident occurs.

ARRESTED.—Alfred Simmons who lives near Lebanon, Linn county, was arrested Monday by Deputy Marshal Waters on a charge of selling liquor to Indians. He was brought down yesterday morning, and in the afternoon had an examination before the United States commissioner. Simmons was held to answer the charge preferred.

DISPOSAL OF TILLAMOOK ROCK.—Mr. A. Ballantyne, the surviving partner of the firm of Brewster & Ballantyne, contractors for the government at Tillamook Rock lighthouse, has sent Mrs. Trevenen a neat pencil sketch, showing the present status of the work and the means by which supplies are conveyed from vessels to the rock.

RETURNED.—Capt. R. H. Lamson, clerk of the U. S. courts, returned Monday from a month's fishing and hunting trip in the coast range of mountains. He spent most of the time near the mouth of the Nestuck river. Capt. Lamson reports having experienced a splendid time and returns in greatly improved health and spirits.

CAUGHT IN YAMHILL.—From a gentleman who has just returned from an extensive tour over Yamhill county, we learn that the crop of wheat is excellent, and slightly above the average in quality and quantity. Most of the crop is housed, and little damage will result from recent rains.

BUSINESS FAIRLY.—Councilman R. Geddes, Paul Richter, Peter Esser, and three others, returned last evening from a twelve days' fishing trip in the Cascades. During their absence they killed two bears and several deer were killed and 200 trout captured. A splendid time is reported.

SUPPLIES AWARDED.—The committee on streets and public property met yesterday and awarded the following contracts: To James Grace for the improvement of Sherman and Ankeny streets; to James Tracey, Caruthers street, and to the Portland Paving Company Lincoln street.

BAKER COUNTY FAIRS.—In answer to numerous inquiries concerning the dates of county fairs, we will state that the Washington county fair will be held Sept. 20th to 25th inclusive; the Linn county fair, Oct. 6th to 9th inclusive; the Union county fair, Oct. 11th to 16th.

DISCHARGED.—John Weimer, of whose arrest for embezzlement, mention has already been made, was brought yesterday before Justice Beall Miller for preliminary examination. The testimony failed to support the charge made and the defendant was discharged from custody.

G. AND A. CLUB.—The regular meeting of the Garfield and Arthur Club at Y. M. C. A. hall was well attended, the hall being completely filled. Very interesting and able speeches were made by Judge Holmes and Mr. C. J. Curtis, which elicited much applause.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.—At the last examination of teachers held by county superintendent Macrum, there were eleven applications. Three failed, three received second class, and five first class certificates.

A GOOD PRICE.—Lot No. 1, block 193, on the southwest corner of Seventh and Hall street, was sold yesterday at auction for $1650 cash. The sale is another confirmation of the steady rise of Portland real estate.

THE ELDER.—The line to Astoria, was down over 11 o'clock yesterday morning, consequently no news was heard from the *Elder*.

Gun Woods and Loring & Blake's organs in endless variety at low prices at Harris' music store.

BRUTALITY ON SHIPBOARD.

Passing down the wharves our attention was attracted by a crowd of persons standing near the German bark *Josefa*. Very soon one of the city police came on shore escorting the first officer of the vessel to answer a charge for assault and battery.

The usual preliminaries of the justice court, presided over by Justice Bushnell, were gone through, and the testimony of several witnesses was listened to by Prosecuting Attorney Caples, and the first and second mates were fined $15 and costs each for assault and battery.

The victim of this assault is the cook. His crime, for which he was kicked in the stomach by the second mate and his face most shamefully bruised and disfigured and cut, was spilling a little water on the deck, which ran out over the side where this officer and some of the crew were painting. In the midst of the melee the first officer came to administer justice and dealt the poor cook a cowardly blow, although he (the cook) was down and the second mate crushing him over the edge of the seat in the cook house.

The mate was quite indignant that he should be arrested for adjusting a disturbance on a German vessel of which he was first officer, and for a while declared he would not pay the light fine imposed; but as the judge commenced to write out the mittimus, he took the second thought.

From conversation with the crew it was ascertained that their treatment has been severe and tyrannical, and those who were passing the docks last Sabbath saw the sailors washing their clothes—they not having time allowed them during the week.

Cannot some better sentiment, and more humane treatment for seamen be secured? These repeated assaults and brutality on shipboard are a disgrace to our civilization.

CUPID'S CAPRICIOUS CAPERINGS.

During the month just closed thirty-two licenses have been issued from the office of the county clerk. The following are the names and ages of the contracting parties:

2. Soph a L. Hoffnabor, 28; Gustave Brownser, 31.
3. Inez H. Reddick, 19; Robert Uhlmann, 22.
4. Elizabeth Wieland, 19; Robert Brenke, 23.
5. Wilhelmia Melcher, 22; Ludwig Wilhelm, 35.
6. Annie R. Nelton, 33; George J. Moore, 30.
7. Clara Kate Kaupach, 21; W. E. Gasch, 28.
8. Louisa Schweizer, 25; C. Durham, 30.
9. Anna Dowell, 17. John E. Miller, 24.
10. Mattie Daubenbiss, 23; W. H. Rattenbury.
10. Lena Mustard, 28; Charles Grant, 27.
10. Alice V. Crosby, 22; John Parsons, 25.
10. Melissa J. Hathaway, 23; Hiram E Allen, 21.
11. Annie Donnelly, 19; J. H. Sherwood, 30.
13. Beulah E. Brown, 18; Wm. Hazlett, 24.
13. Helen Palmer, 33; James V. Allen, 43.
14. Sarah J. Phillips, 25; H. H. James, 26.
17. Anna Otter, 19; D. W. Forbes, 22.
17. Anna Hennest, 23; Michael Welk, 36.
17. Annie Grossenbacher, 30; John Ratmer, 32.
18. Mattie L. Caples, 19; F. B Thorne, 21.
20. Nannie Olsen, 30; David Kilman, 34.
24. Josephine Hoell, 24; J. H. Mathews, 28.
24. Mary Strimpple, 19; Hugh Murphy, 25.
24. Ada Hedges, 19; Willard Camp, 21.
25. Ellen Scott, 28; Robert Christie, 30.
25. Blanche C. Rowell, 18; George F. Wells, 25.
25. Helen E. Ladd, 21; Henry J. Corbett, 23.
26. Hannah Wurzweiler, 21; Sam'l Rothchild, 37.
27. Allie Hazlett, 18; F. J. Bottsford, 22.
27. Esther C. Fallin, 20. Augus Fournier, 56.
27. Mary E. Latham, 24; S. H. Shanks, 25.
27. Mary C. Constable, 19; John Grove, 29.

AT THE COUNTY'S EXPENSE.

The following prisoners are confined in the county jail:

James McFarland; selling liquor to an Indian.
John Thompson, larceny; serving out his term.
William Price; disposing of liquor to Indians.
Ah Goon, larceny; held to await the action of the grand jury.
Ben Stewart; selling liquor to an Indian.
William Francis, assault; serving out his term.
Millie Williams; selling liquor without United States license.
Charles Johnson, threatening to kill; held to answer.
N. West; selling liquor to an Indian.
John Clinger, larceny; held to answer.
J. F. Kelly; held as a witness.
Arthur Munroe, larceny; serving out his term.
Jessie Morris, adultery; held to answer.
Patrick Nolen; held to answer on a charge of attempting to defraud his creditors.
Ah Wang, larceny; held to answer.
D. Brademeir, selling liquor to Indians.
Mrs Alice Allen, larceny; held to answer.
Thomas Stuart, selling liquor to an Indian.
John Gasely, assault and battery; serving out his term.
Alfred Simmons, selling liquor to Indians.
Frank Clark, larceny; held to answer.
J. W. Treat, larceny; serving out his term.
John Mooney, larceny; serving out his term.
Frank Williams, defacing a building; serving out his term.
Alex. Mathieson, held as a witness.
James Murphy, larceny; serving out his term.
Thomas Moore, larceny; serving out his term.
James Price, assault; serving out his term.

BRIEF NOTES.

No dust
Vacation over.
The steamer *Elder* is due.
Collectors are on the wing.
Public schools will open to-day.
Foliage commencing to descend.
Last lecture by Rev. W. H. Milburn to-night.
Don't begin letters with August this morning.
The saloons will meet at Salem on the 13th inst.
"Our Best Society," at Y. M. C. A. Hall to-night.
Now is the time to crowd forward street improvements.
The steamer *California* will sail for the north this morning.
Oak street is in a dreadfully demoralized condition at present.
It takes two to make a bargain, and one must pay for the drinks.
Many business blocks on First and Front are receiving coverings of paint.

PERSONAL.

Mr. R. N. Williams, the sash man, has gone to eastern Oregon and Washington territory on business.

Messrs. G. S. Foster and Frank W. Ingalls will go to Astoria to-day to attend the funeral of the late David Ingalls, who died at that city yesterday.

Hon. A. J. Dufur, of Dufur, Wasco county, is in East Portland, looking after the construction of his residence that is being erected on Hollady's acreage. From him it is learned that the crops on the hilly land in Wasco are light, but on the creek bottoms good. He expects to remove his family to East Portland and make it's home there soon.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Nathan & Dwight will hold a sale at their rooms, corner of First and Pine streets, this (Wednesday) morning.

C. A. Malarkey is prepared to fill all orders for Oysters. He receives fresh, Eastern Oysters every steamer. He supplies the trade at the lowest rates. Olympia and Shoalwater Bay Oysters constantly on hand. All orders promptly filled. Families supplied.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEED.

Comodo e and Sol Richards to S J. Mooney, Aug. 31. Lots 6 and 7, blk 162, Couch Add—$350.

D. F. Thompson & Co. to D. E & N Co., Aug. 30, 1880, blks 100 and 173, Caruthers' Add—$5000.

Dundee L. L. Co. to Agnes Reid, E ½ block 149, Couch Add, city—$4.05.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The regular monthly meeting of the Horticultural Society will be held at the court house on next Saturday, September 4th, at 1 P. M., to hear a report on the apple line, and make arrangements for an exhibition of fruits at Mechanics' Fair, and other business. HENRY MILLER.

POOR LIGHT FROM GAS LAMPS.—Many complaints are made about the flickering, unsteady light from the gas lamps and it has been suggested that the trouble can be easily avoided by passing a piece of thin paper or fine wire through the burners.

CONVICTED.—Yesterday James Murphy and Thomas Moore were convicted by Justice H. W. Davis, of larceny. Each defendant was fined $25, and in default committed to the county jail.

Fresh supply of ruching and kid gloves just received, in white and light colors, 3, 5, 6 and 8 button, at P. E. Brigham's.

Gill & Co.'s show windows display immense piles of school books.

Neimeyer, the tailor, has received a new line of fall goods by the steamer *Columbia*.

Rulers and book covers free with school books bought of J. K Gill & Co., Union Block.

Elegant dresses for $15 at Minville & Co's, 151 Third street.

Send your children for school books to J. K Gill & Co., Union Block.

Ladies, if you wish a real nice and fine fitting shoe, ask for J. N. Smith's goods.

Fredericksburg Brewing Co., San Jose, Cal. Otto Diesing, agent, 25 Oak street, city.

Children cry for them; young ladies sigh for them; everybody likes them—Stone's candies.

For fresh and large variety of French candies at Post Office store, cor. 5th and Morrison.

50,000 sewing machine needles, all kinds, at Burbey's, the repairer, 32 Yamhill street.

The leading music house north of San Francisco—D. W. Prentice & Co., Portland.

Peter Wilhelm reigns supreme at the Gem in Astoria. Call and see him.

Hark! Bark! the SOZODONT cry,
Haste youths and maidens come and buy.
Come and a secret I'll unfold,
At small expense to young and old,
A charm that will on both bestow
A ruby lip and teeth like snow.

To cure a cough, to relieve a tightness of the throat, to prevent consumption, to restore perfect soundness and health to the most delicate organization of the human frame—the Lung Balsam is unequaled. Wells' Depot.

Murray & Lanman's Florida Water is one of the surest, as the specific for cases where every form of nervousness [illegible] when other applications completely fail. It refreshes, vivifies the faithful and operates kindly, and in imparts force and buoyancy to the mental powers.

NEWS NOTES FROM EUGENE.

[REGULAR CORRESPONDENCE OF THE OREGONIAN.]

EUGENE, Aug. 31, 1880.

T. B. Dunn, Esq., has returned from San Francisco.

The late rains have somewhat interrupted harvesting operations.

Walter Gray, Esq., of Portland, has been in town the past week, visiting friends and relatives.

A lad by the name of McCrady was thrown from a horse yesterday and was severely injured. Dr. Sharples was called to render medical aid, and sound fears are entertained of the boy's skull being broken.

The Hancock and English club on Saturday night last was addressed by Mr. Gearin of Multnomah county, and there was by far the largest attendance of any meeting heretofore held under the auspices of the above named club.

Mr. John R. Ellison met with a severe accident yesterday morning, which came very near being fatal. Being engaged at shingling on a building he has under construction, the foot piece gave way, precipitating him to the ground, a distance of about sixteen feet. Drs. Gill and Hicklin being called found, on examination, one arm broken in two places and a shoulder dislocated also a severe wound in the mouth and throat caused by a pipe, which he was smoking at the time of the accident, being driven down his throat. Mr. Ellison has for many years resided in the vicinity of Oakland and Yoncalla, and had very recently moved to Eugene, and intended in a few weeks to engage in the grocery business. There are some hopes of his recovery.

The State University will commence its first term on the 15th of September, with a much larger attendance of pupils than have ever before attended this institution; the reputation of the members of the faculty as scholars of the first order, coupled with the great advantages to be derived from the use of the very costly instruments purchased for the purpose of aiding the pupils through the scientific courses, ranks this college far above any other institution of learning on the North Pacific coast and cannot fail in drawing within its portals a large number of the youth of Oregon. One of the most prominent features of the workings of the State University, is the thoroughness of its discipline in all matters pertaining to instruction, and every effort made by the faculty for the benefit of their pupils, is heartily endorsed and supported by the board of regents. Another important thing to be taken into consideration by parents who intend to send their children forth to gain an education is the moral standing of the community in which an institution of learning is located. In this respect we can truthfully say that the state of morality of the people of Eugene, is all that could be desired. There is not a town of its size in the state of Oregon, nor for that matter in the whole universe, that can give a better showing in this direction than the city of Eugene, for its citizens are unanimous in their efforts to throw around the young who sojourn among them every precaution calculated to secure a high degree of morality. In proof of this assertion we need only to point to the late ordinance passed by our city council in relation to and for the government of saloons. Our city laws at now stands, imposes a very heavy fine and takes the license from any saloon keeper that would allow a university student inside of their saloons under any pretense, and we must say this law, stringent as it is, is always if occasion requires it strictly enforced. We have only three saloons, controlled by men, who take great pains to maintain good order and uphold every officer in the discharge of their duties, men who fully concurred in the framing of laws that are best calculated to prevent students from spending their time in such manner as to interfere with their studies. We have five churches that are well supported, a large temperance organization, medical organizations, literary clubs and societies and in fact all that could be desired to make the state of society such as a great educational center requires.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

CLARENDON.

[Street car tickets furnished free to guests.]

A Y Truett, S F — L E Besley, Oswego
J Y Scott, Oswego — Chas Johnson, do
John Q Wilson, Heppner — Gus Kunow, S F
T Magill, wf & 3 c, Dalles — W F Williams, Dalles
Miss M L Robinson, Dalles — Miss B Baker, E Portland
C T Thomas, Astoria — L Everett, Walla Walla
F McAuliff, Walla Walla — M Gilliam, Walla Walla
J H Haas, Salem — C Russell Jr, Walla Walla
Mrs Dodd, Colfax W T — Miss S Sherman, Spokan
J E Brown, Walla Walla — Capt Strang & wf, Astoria

THE ESMOND.

[First-class hotel. Rates with board, $2, $2 50 and $3 per day.]

B T Harding, Marion co — Dr Rinehart, W Walla
G W Church, Or City — Frank White, S F
Chas Frean, London, Eng — L F Venen, Olympia
Mrs L M Clark, Olympia — Mrs Gen Howard and chd, U S A, Vancouver
K L Canby P Townsend — Lieut A Mills, 1st U S cav
N H Sellgman, S F — W E Theodore, Heppner
Z W Morrow, Heppner — Ed K Bishop, Heppner

ST. CHARLES.

W B Barr, Albany — Chas Brown, Vancouver
D Tuthill, Salem — Mrs Dr J L Parrish, Salem
J Benson, McMinnville — B E Andrews, Hudson N Y
Miss Brooks, Clackamas — B F Hartman, McMinnville
I L Smith, Forest Grove — Miss Ella J Smith, F G ve
Mrs Bentinggon, F Grove — George Reed, The Dalles
Chas McKay, Cascades — T C Judkins, Eugene
W C Stenson, S F — Fritz Brown, Washougal
O S Rockenfield, Salem — Dr Reinhart, Walla Walla
John Ellis, E Portland — C Barre, Lewis, E Portland
Miss Stella Smith, Vancouver — R C Allen, E Portland
Mrs Foss, The Dalles.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

Signal service United States army. Division of telegrams and reports for the benefit of commerce and agriculture. Report for the last 24 hours.

PORTLAND, Aug. 31, 7:57 P. M.

Place of Observation	Height of Barom.	Change last 5 Hours.	Ther	Wind: Direction	Rain fall inches	State of weath.
Portland	30.17	03	60	NW	.00	Clear
Olympia	30.18	02	56	N	.00	Clear
Roseburg	30.15	05	63	NW	.00	Clear
Red Bluff	29.86	—02	78	N	.00	Clear
Sacramento	29.82	—03	74	SW	.00	Clear
Umatilla	30.25	12	64	SW	.19	Cldy
Lewiston	29.86	05	64	W	.15	Fair

Note—Observations are made at Lewiston and Umatilla at 11:57 A. M.

Sohmer pianos are strictly first class instruments. Prices from $100 to $150 less than other makes. S. Harris, sole agent, Esmond block.

Don't import beer when a fine article like Molson's is to be had.

The ladies emporium and lace house, 149 Front street, opposite the Esmond.

Parties declining housekeeping, who want their household goods sold at auction or private sale, will do well to call on T. J. O'Connor, 64 First street.

CARPETS.—Birmingham, corner First and Salmon, has received direct from the manufacturer the choicest designs of tapestry, ingrains, etc., which he is selling for less money than the same quality can be purchased elsewhere on the northwest coast. Furniture of every description at correspondingly low figures.

MRS. C. K. STEVENS' school will commence Wednesday, September 1st, at the academy on Seventh between Columbia and Jefferson streets.

500 Boys' School Suits, at bed-rock prices, just received at Beck & Waldman's.

For the very best photographs go to Frank G. Abell, 167 and 169 First street, Portland.

N. Y. Coffee House, 132 First St. Ladies rooms now open. Q Voos, manager.

The boom still is the rage. Gigantic pop corn prizes in every box. Wholesale and retail depot at Post Office store.

NO NECESSITY

To go any longer without a timepiece, $14 will buy a good heavy silver watch, which is guaranteed for two years by W. FRIEDLANDER, 63 First street.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

THE ESMOND

Dining Hall will be kept open for the Accommodation of the Pub ic during the following hours:
Breakfast—6 A. M. to 9 P. M.
Dinner—5 to 8 P. M.
J. H. SHENNER, Proprietor.

SCHEFFLER'S BRANDY.

SCHEFFLER'S ST. HELENA, EDGE HILL, VACUUM DISTILLED BRANDY BEFORE THE MEDICAL MEN.

At a council of eminent physicians of San Francisco, held in June, 1879, it was resolved that after thorough tests and analysis, Wm. Scheffler's Vacuum Distilled Grape Brandy was the purest brandy to be obtained. His process left it free from all deleterious drugs so common, especially in the imported brandies, three-fourths of which are nothing but grain whisky transformed through the use formula of doctoring flavors, oil of cognac, ether and other drugs equally poisonous. Most druggists, as also the first class bar-rooms in California sell Scheffler's *Sanitary Vacuum Distilled Brandy*, as well as his Good Old Edge Hill Port, Sherry, Amber, Hock, Rissling and Claret Wines. No wines in California equal those from the Old Edge Hill Vineyards of St. Helena. GEO. H. BEACH, Agent, now here on his fall trip.

THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.

No people in the world suffer as much with Dyspepsia as Americans. Although years of experience in medicine had failed to accomplish a certain and sure remedy for this disease and its effects, such as Sour Stomach, Heart burn, Water brash, Sick Headache, Costiveness, Palpitation of the Heart, Liver Complaint, coming up of the food, low spirits, general debility, etc., yet since the introduction of GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER we believe there is no case of Dyspepsia that cannot be immediately relieved. 30,000 dozen sold last year without one case of failure reported. Go to your Druggist and get a Sample Bottle for 10 cents and try it. Two doses will relieve you. Regular size 75 cents.

HENRICHSEN & GREENBERG,

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Oregon Railway and Navigation Co.

OFFICE OF SECRETARY, PORTLAND, Aug. 25, 1880.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Directors of the above named Company held this day, T. F. OAKES was elected Vice President of said Company, vice S. G. REED, resigned, to take effect September 1, 1880.

aug30dtf ATTEST: THEO. WYGANT, Sec'y.

We Will Open
This Week
100 Cases
OF THE
LATEST STYLES
IN
Clothing,
Furnishing Goods,
Hats,
Neckwear,
Trunks,
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Which we have Marked Down
TO THE
LOWEST PRICES
Ever offered in this city.
J. KOHN'S CLOTHING PALACE,
Cor. First and Morrison sts.

THE NEW FERRY.

The Staunch & Swift Steam Ferry Boat
VETO
Is now making regular trips from Jefferson street, Portland, to E St., East Portland.
W. H. ANDELL,
President Jefferson Street Ferry.
Portland, July 30, 1880. aug31dtf

FASHION NOTES.

Breakfast caps grow in favor.
All outdoor dresses are made short.
The Pilgrim suit originated in England.
Fluffy crimps and bangs are out of date.
Derbys never go entirely out of fashion.
Plaids will be revived in early fall millinery.
Pompadour silks are growing in popular favor.
Dotted and sprigged dress fabrics grow in favor.
The night gown with shirred waist is a new fancy.
Many narrow ruffles appear on early fall dresses.
The Jersey corsage has never found favor in Paris.
Beaded silk jerseys will be worn in the early fall.
White evening bonnets will be as fashionable as ever.
Side combs of shell, jet, coral and ivory are used again.
Ostrich tips and plumes will be in high favor this fall.
It is admissible now to go anywhere with a short dress.
Plush will take the place of velvet in millinery next winter.
Many ruffles or flounces on skirts will be a feature of fall fashions.
Public taste in Paris runs to the revival of directory styles of dress.
Chinese Corah silks in flowered designs will form parts of fall toilets.
Spikes, balls and tassels are used to finish the ends of Surah sashes.
Red pleatings around and under the bottom of dresses increase in number.
Wide canvas belts are more fashionable than either leather or ribbon ones.
Black Surah silk sashes are sometimes lined with red, or gold, or heliotrope Surah.
Gold lace, gold ribbon and gold braid will be used to excess in early fall millinery.
The fashions of England and France have very little in common at the present time.
Fancy and tinsel ribbons will be used more than Surah silk or satin for winter bonnets.
The tea gown of the moment is of soft ivory Ramehnnda silk, trimmed with Languedoc lace.
The fashionable evening color takes the name of Ophelia: it is a dark shade of heliotrope.
The riding habit of the fall season has a cutaway coat basque buttoning over a striped waistcoat.
Corah washing silk in natural undyed shades of cream or ecru, is found among early fall novelties.
Indian washing silk in undyed shades of buff, resembling pongee, is sold for morning chamber robes.
Colored velvet ribbons will be extensively used for millinery. Bonnets and hats will be made of the same.
Soft, crushable India silks are much used in Paris and London in the composition of classic and artistic costumes.

American views for 75c a dozen at Harris'.

W. E. GASCH, teacher of the Piano forte, 168 West Park street.

School Books—A large overstock to close out this week, at Gill's, 93 First street.

Physicians recommend, *good* beer to invalids—Molson's is a prime article.

Just finished, 50 elegant ready made suits, from $10 up, at Mrs. Pilger's, the leading suit and cloak house, 153 First near Morrison.

Cheap suits for the next thirty days at W. J. Quinn's, No. 28 Stark street.

The largest stock of school books just received by Chas. Hirstel & Co. Give them a call and you will save money.

CABLE NEWS.—You will find a fine assortment of majolica, semi-porcelain and glassware at Olds & Summers, 183 First street. They are sole agents for the celebrated Hero of 1, 150 fire test.

WONDERFUL baby upright piano in rosewood case, 7 octave, only $250. See it at H. Sinsheimer's, agent for the Decker & Son celebrated piano, (acknowledged the best), and various organs.

MEDICAL LAKE.

Much is being said in the papers just now about Medical Lake in Washington territory, which seems to be a sort of modern Bethesda, to which the lame, the halt, and the blind move, hoping to get relief. The water of this lake, however, cannot begin to cure backache and all diseases of the kidneys and urinary organs as does the Oregon Kidney Tea. Sold everywhere.

MADAM DE SEPTE

Would respectfully inform the ladies that she has opened Dressmaking Parlors at 155 Third st., corner of Morrison (2d floor,) where she is prepared to make up LADIES' SUITS, POLONAISE, CLOAKS, DOLMANS, &c., in the very latest styles and at moderate prices. Having had a great deal of experience at Dressmaking in Berlin, from which place she has recently arrived, can will be enabled to give satisfaction on all work entrusted to her. Evening Toilets made up according to the latest Parisian and Berlin fashions.

LEGAL AND COMMERCIAL UNION MERCANTILE AGENCY.

We have used your Commercial Agency, also others, and take pleasure in saying we like yours as well as any we have tried, and think it equally as good as those which cost more money.
NORDYKE & MARMON CO., Detroit.

Your Agency is of great benefit to us in obtaining the standing of men at *the time we wish to deal with them*. We like it better than any agency we ever belonged to.
W. N. FLINT & CO.,
Wholesale Granite Dealers, Monson, Mass.

Your Agency is certainly one of the best mediums for collecting in the country. We have *tried them all* and pronounce yours the best.
J. M. FAHNESTOCK & Co.,
Wholesale Soap Dealers, Pittsburg.

One of the strongest points in favor of this Agency is, that our list of correspondents is composed of reliable lawyers who *are under a contract*. They are not a *secret* list, and our business is transacted openly and above board. We do not overestimate *a friend*, or to vent some petty malice *underestimate* others.

The Pay thousand business men use this Agency. We invite criticism and challenge comparison, and are in the field to stay.
Office, 45 Union Block.
W. H. RATTENBURY, Manager.

FINNEY'S HAVANA CIGAR STORE

First and Alder street. The largest and best selected stock of cigars in the city, comprising New York, Key West and Imported Havanas. Call and be convinced that you can get a better article for a less price than at any other store in the city. Sole Agency for the Celebrated Kerbs and Seals New York Cigars.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, etc., I will send a recipe that will cure you, *free of charge*. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self addressed envelope to the Rev. Joseph T. Inman, *Station D, New York City*.

We Will Open
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126 First St.
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Near Washington.
Guaranteed
EASTERN MADE.
ALL GOODS
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EXAMINE AND COMPARE PRICES.

The creditors of Woodward, McQuiston & Bradshaw are determined to make a speedy clearance of the remaining stock of Dry Goods, and will, during the following ten days, offer the following inducements:

16 yards Calico for		$1 00
14 "	Heavy Unbleached Muslin for	$1 00
12 "	" Bleached Muslin	1 00
10 "	Lonsdale Muslin	1 00
10 "	White Rock	1 00
10 "	Best Gingham	1 00
12 "	Best Ticking	1 00

Dress Goods, Flannels, Towels, Bedspreads, and full line of Fancy and Gents' Furnishing Goods, to be cleared at 50 per cent. under cost.

By order of the creditors.

Cor. Second and Morrison.

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WHITE OAK TIMBER.

BY REV G H ATKINSON

This has been the choice timber for carriage manufacturers and shipbuilders on the Atlantic coast during two hundred years. Half a side and mountain and plain there well set with white oak were convenient sources of timber owners. It was a home business to get out staves and spokes and felloes for the shipyards of the north towns or haul the logs to the sawmills on sleds in winter 40 years ago. When a boy over 30 years ago I used to wonder why such pure giants went up every year to find big oak butts and great gnarled limbs and drag them with many yokes of oxen on heavy wheels to the shipyards of New Hampshire Massachusetts and the wonder grew as I saw many men slowly saw or hew out huge knees and kelsons and knees and ribs and planks and spend all the spring and summer and fall in building these oak rubbed ships. The cost of time and toil and money seemed then to me very great. But it built up commerce. It conquered the seas. It carried the American flag into every port of the world. It observed new lands. It won many a naval battle over England and many a peaceful victory over her commercial fleets. The white oak coasters early rounded the capes and laid both the Indies under tribute to Boston ship owners. One of those trading crafts had the crowning honor to be the first ship to cross the bar enter the river and mark it with the more than royal name *Columbia* which name will be forever the signal on its broad bosom.

The web to oak ship paid all the cost of its long growth, and the time and toil and cash spent in its structure. It paid the owners of the forests, and the lumbermen and shipwrights and merchants and made some of them princes in wealth. It paid all the people. The cities and villages along the sea coast thrived and grew and sent their vital currents back into the interior and built more villages and settlements. It paid the nation, and gave it the white oak strength, of hard workmen skillful artizans enterprising traders and bold seamen and a body of wise and courageous navigators. These were factors of great importance in the growth and strength of the original 13 colonies. They were essential to the success of the revolution and the establishment of the United States. Our government owes its existence largely to its forests and its early fleets of white oak vessels.

Honor to those majestic old trees, whose rugged branches sheltered us in summer, and defied the tempests and the frosts of winter. Thanks for their robust grandeur marked by the rings of centuries! It was not too long to wait for them. They should be the signals of our nation a century or two centennials! They should teach us to let our sons and grow and become a part of the wealth and power of our children's children.

THE WHITE OAK OF OREGON AND WASHINGTON

This is found mostly on the slopes hills and valleys west of the Cascades, though some of it is found on the eastern slopes of the range.

The grub oak hills are chiefly of this quality. This timber is known to be tough, clear, close grained, the best possible for axe helves, spokes and felloes and almost too hard for hubs. This is the oft repeated testimony of our first-class carriage and car builders. The only reason it is not sawed and used is the lack of machinery here to fit it for quick use in the shop. Tens of thousands of feet of this grown timber have been shipped to San Francisco for their manufacturing industries.

THE SAD WASTE OF THE YOUNG OAK FORESTS

Since wheat pays, the farmers all over the country have been slashing and digging out these oak grubs, as they are called. Troops of Chinamen spend the winter at this work. If the oak were thinned out, those left would soon grow and be worth ten times the value of the wheat crops less than cost. Besides when oak grubs the land is often full of stumps. The cost of removal and breaking the farm and that variety and rotation of crops is the wise policy.

Western farmers destroyed their black walnut trees in order to get more wheat land, and a few of those left are worth more than the whole farm. It will be so with our white oak in a few years.

A car load of these white oak blocks came over to-day (Aug 26) from Centerville, W. T., for the shavers of the Stark street factory company. West of Centerville and north of the Chehalis river the forests have many of these choice oak from one to three feet in diameter. Other localities have them also. Our oak and fir swamps have hundreds of these toughest of trees. Our grub-oaks cover hundreds of thousands of acres. Mr David Newsome estimates that 50,000 acres have been already cleared off and the land turned into wheat fields. Better save some of those forests for other generations.

BLACK OAK.

The Portland furniture manufacturers find this oak a strong and finely colored wood for furniture. It is somewhat brash, yet not more so than black walnut. Its place in this shop can be won by a few tests, and then its demand will creep up like that of black walnut. In a few years land owners will be sorry that they have wasted these forests of oak.

IDLE MONEY IN ENGLAND.

[From the New York Times.]

According to the English *Statist* there is a plethora of money in England. The money put away, quite idle, seeking an investment, is supposed to be something like $1,000,000,000, or nearly three years of the revenue. Old stockings and bed-posts are gorged, and will not hold an additional sovereign. The trouble with those who have the money, and who want to invest it safely, is that all the sound securities have been taken up, and can only be bought at a large advance, and 4 per cent. investments are apparently unprocurable. For the last four years there has been in England an era of retrenchment. If people could not earn money by curtailing their expenses, they seem to have made both ends meet, with a trifle over to their credit. The total accumulation made up by small amounts is, then, enormous. During this period of saving your Englishman has been suspicious. The condition of Europe has been uncomfortable. Even now it is quite questionable whether continental matters are any more placid in character. There has been such an outcry about poor investments made in land that something has happened in England which is quite abnormal of its kind. With increased capital begging an investment, land in certain parts of England has absolutely lessened in price. In the southern and eastern counties, where there are large expanses of good agricultural land, and no great cities near them, property can be had, for ready money, at a reduction of 20 per cent. on normal prices. But matters can never remain as they are. Capital in some respects resembles water. Lock up the money or dam the waters, the result is pretty much the same, for both in time will break bounds. An era of speculation does invariably commence after a period of retrenchment. It never has been otherwise, and whether this imprudent England or imprudent America, it is always sure to happen. Because people have eaten less bought fewer clothes on books, traveled less gone less frequently to the theatre they have saved money. But the quota of bread and beef of gloves, coats and gowns, of readable volumes consumed in any ten years is about the same increased of course, by augmentation of population. The world will have its blow out after a while and makes up in the last three years of a decade for the pinchings of the first seven.

An Independent View of General Garfield's Speeches

[From the Chicago Times.]

The candor of impartial criticism compels it to be said of the fifty or sixty brief impromptu speeches which Mr Garfield has made during his journey to New York and return that in some respects they are very remarkable. Though there was a needlessly careful avoidance of any expression of opinion upon unsettled political questions it can not be said of any one of them that it was an express on of words without ideas. There has perhaps never been made in this country by any one citizen an equal number of impromptu speeches to popular audiences that were so full of ideas, clothed in such language of so much force eloquence and beauty. Ordinarily the politician who is prohibited from talking politics can not talk to a public audience at all—at least can not employ words to express ideas. Some of the ablest statesmen under like circumstances, have been utterances only to the feebliest inanities. But in all the many responses Mr Garfield made during his journey, there is not found a single inane expression. He has shown himself a man of information and ideas upon other than political subjects who is at no loss to make appropriate, useful of them in a quick emergency. It is not merely in the art of off hand responses, that two public men have shown themselves his equal but to such their fullness and eloquence of ideas that his off hand responses rise pre-eminent over all others.

Boys Need Company

[From the Congregationalist.]

Boys must have sympathy good cheer and something to do. Youth especially needs variety grasp of the hand, a sunny smile, a little interest in the hopes and plans of unlimited life. Older people often grow hard and shrivaled of soul from the cold and cheerlessness they find in after the truth of it seems especially must have the fresh air of childhood. A healthy growth will not result from it. Boys will be boys they need companions. My boy sat down sweet young mouth to us but our two were often full of boys who visited us. Sad is the young man in one of our New England colleges. For six months I have not stepped to those where the rare bit of quiet and cheerfulness. And the Christian women about us had forgotten that the college boy needed all the tenderness which has own home had furnished.

Thos "Gentlemen" Speech.

[From the Baltimore Wechers German.]

In his political zeal and in the sunshine of bright hopes for the future Wade Hampton of South Carolina made the mistake of his life at Staunton Va. The democrats will have to pay dear for this thoughtlessness this letting the cat out of the bag too soon on the part of one of their leaders and his excellency Wade Hampton may have spoiled his future career forever. First the democratic party destroys its household gods and nominates a union general as its standard bearer in the presidential campaign and then comes this southern hotspur and with a bounce announces to the world that the election in November will decide the principles for which Lee and Stonewall Jackson fought so heroically for four years. This means plainly and in unmistakable English that what they could not obtain with bullets they will have by the aid of the democratic congress and a democratic president. Heaven protect the poor United States treasury if these hungry democratic southern wolves get a fair haul at it.

MONTHLY WEATHER REPORT.

War Department—Office of the Chief Signal Officer division of Telegrams and Reports for the benefit of Commerce and Agriculture—Meteorological Summary—Month of August 1880—Station Portland Oregon.

Date		Daily Mean. Barom	Daily Mean Temp	Daily Mean Humd	Prevailing direc	Daily Rainfall
Aug	1	30 04	72	80	NW	0
	2	30 08	65 9	74	NW	0
	3	30 01	65 9	85	NW	0
	4	30 04	64 4	60	NW	0
	5	29 95	65 4	64	NW	0
		30 12	67 6	150	NW	0
	7	30 17	69 1	66 0	NW	0
	8	30 17	66 5	0	NW	0
	9	30 14	66 1	6	NW	0
	10	30 04	68	74	NW	0
	11	30 08	61	61 0	NW	0
		30 03	61	61 0	NW	0
	13	30 07	6	6	N	0
	14	30 00	6	6	N	0
	15	30	6	8	NW	0
	16	29 93	6	6	NW	0
	17	29 91	6	6	NW	0
	18	29 93	6	6	NW	0
	19	30 06	6	6	NW	0
	20	29	6	6	NW	0
	21	29	6	6	NW	0
	22	29	6	6	NW	0
	23	29	6	6	NW	0
	24	29	6	6	NW	0
	25	29	6	6	NW	0
	26	29	6	6	NW	0
	27	29	6	6	NW	0
	28	29	6	6	NW	0
	29	29	6	6	NW	0
	30	29	6	6	NW	0
	31	30 01	66	77	NW	0
Means		30 03	63 8	65	NW	1 61

Mean barometer 30 03
Highest barometer 30 [illegible]
Lowest barometer 29 [illegible]
Month's range [illegible]
Highest temperature [illegible]
Lowest temperature [illegible]
Greatest daily range [illegible]
Least daily range [illegible]
Mean of maximum temperature [illegible]
Mean of minimum temperature [illegible]
Mean daily temperature [illegible]
Prevailing direction [illegible]
Total movement of wind [illegible]
Highest velocity [illegible]
Number of days [illegible]
Number of [illegible]
Number of [illegible]
Number of [illegible]
Total rainfall [illegible]
Greatest rainfall in 24 hours [illegible]
Dates of [illegible]
Comparative temperature [illegible]
Total amount of rainfall [illegible]
Dates of [illegible]

1879 [illegible]
1878 [illegible]

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FINANCE AND COMMERCE

Financial

TUESDAY EVENING Aug 31

SAN FRANCISCO Aug 31—Sterling exchange on London bankers 60 days 49¼ demand 50 Currency exchange on New York—gold 1 5 Transfers 2c

NEW YORK Aug 31—Silver bullion 1000 fine per ounce 1[illegible]

Sterling exchange, prime bankers long 84 short 4 85 good commercial from 1 to ⅜c low er documentary 2 to 1 ⅝c lower

U S Bonds—6s of 81 102¾ 4½s 111½ 4s 110 Closed—5s 102¾ 4½s 111½ 4s 11[illegible]

LONDON Aug 31—Consols 97 11 16 money

Silver English standard per fine ounce [illegible] 52d

U S Bonds—5s of 81, 104⅝ 4½s 114⅝ 4s 114 Consols at 4 P M—97⅞

NEW YORK Aug 31—Money easy at 3@3 gov ernments, strong stocks closed firmer W U 103 Erie 38¼

NEW YORK FREIGHTS AND MARKETS

[SPECIAL TO THE OREGONIAN.]

NEW YORK, Aug 31—The freight market remains quiet although there is perhaps little more doing than for some time past on some certain classes of freight. Rates are still irregular although there is an effort to advance them especially for heavy goods. The Shetland has finished loading her cargo comprises in part 23 bbls meal 1250 cases turpentine 190 bbls whisky, 100 bbls rosin 200 bbls oil 4589 pkgs from 50 ozs soap 1150 boxes tin plate, 50 kegs starch 1072 box cands 200 bales sheeting 250 bbls plaster 3500 kegs nails

The general freight agent of the Union Pacific railroad is in town it is supposed for the purpose of making a new contract with trunk lines for the coming year. In railroad circles it is rumored that he will not succeed unless Pacific roads agree to allow a larger percentage on through freight than heretofore. At present they do not get near as much as current rates to Chicago. A meeting of the lines will take place in a few days and there is considerable anxiety as to the result especially in view of the fact that the Atchison & Santa Fe road will be ready for business early in March and it at there will be sharp competition for California freight via the southern Pacific road. The general market is moderately active while there is an absence of aggressive influences

Breadstuffs—More active at a marked decline Under pressure of cash stock wheat declined 1a 3c Shippers bought more freely at the close due to fill old orders but were not inclined to anticipate wants

Pork—Neglected.

Lard—Better demand 10c higher.

Rio coffee—Quiet very firm

Refined sugars—Fair demand steady

Hides—Active and excited half higher large sales Cuba last week, to arrive have induced holders to ask higher figures Sales 8883 Cuba private

Turpentine—Better demand ½c higher

Petroleum—Quiet and firmer

Sperm oil—Firmer at 92@96c, whale also firm

Quicksilver—Dull but steady

Small sales of California white mustard seed are being made at 5½@

The New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK Aug 31—The *World* says At the stock exchange yesterday the sales amounted to only 210 474 shares against 277 859 on Saturday but the decrease in business to day is readily accounted for by the opening of the exchanges at 11 o clock as usual on Monday, and disagreeable weather The largest transactions were in erie, 52,574, Delaware and Lackawanna, 29 000 St. Paul 17 630, Hannibal and St. Jos, 12,044, and Lake Shore 10,150 Heavy dealings in Calaveras at the mining exchange to day ran the aggregate of sales up to 72,308 shares against 11,200 Saturday, but the other stocks on the list were dull Some leading stocks were weak The general market, however was rather more steady than it has been for the past few days, and in some instances closing prices were the best of the day Lower quotations from San Francisco have further depressed prices for Comstock shares

NEW YORK Aug 31—The *World* says The aggregate of sales to-day at the mining stock exchange was larger than on any previous day during the present year amounting to 157 960 shares against 72,202 yesterday

The London Wool Market.

[SPECIAL TO THE OREGONIAN]

LONDON Aug 8—Wool—Sales to-day were spirited, foreign buyers taking a fair proportion Prices are quite firm There were 6500 bales sold chiefly Sydney and New Zealand

Gold and Stock Company's Reports.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 31

Receipts—40 000 ctls wheat, 14,500 qr sks flour 1400 ctls oats 4500 sks potatoes 4000 doz eggs.

Charters—The previously reported Br ok Loch Fergus goes 6s 8d Br ok Henry Buck timber Hong kong private

Wheat—The market can by no means be called better, as holders are stimulating trade by shading rates. In some cases the market is unfavorably affected by Liverpool advices Sale of 100 tons of good California shipping at $1 8½ extra choice milling quotable at $1 45@1 47½.

Shipping—Market is well supplied at 75c@$1

Peaches—$1@1 50 box

Bartlett Pears—$2 75@3 box

Grapes—50c@$1 box.

Beans—Market shows no feature of striking interest

Hides—Dry and kip and calf firm at 19c

Salmon—Quiet but firm

Provisions—Firm with a fair inquiry.

Wool—Sales of Eastern Oregon private supposed rate 22@24c for medium grades

Eggs—Steady and quiet, receipts ex State of California mix all sold California choice, 30, Oregon 26@27½c.

Butter—Market unchanged.

CHICAGO MARKETS

CHICAGO Aug 31

Wheat—87c for September

Pork—$17 10 for September

Lard—$7 12½ for September

Long Ribs—$8 10.

Short Ribs—$8 25

NEW YORK MARKETS

NEW YORK Aug 31

Wheat—Unsettled at $1 02@1 07

Flour—Quiet.

Wool—Steady

Coffee—Good demand and firm and ⅛c higher

Sugar—Firmer

Rice—Steady

Molasses—Easier demand good

Tea—Dull

Hides—Firmer.

Petroleum and Spirits of Turpentine—Steady

Hops—Quiet but firmer

LONDON Aug 31.

Floating cargoes of wheat very heavy cargoes on passage and for shipment nothing sold no buyers cost dear good cargoes Atlantic wheat off coast, 6,000 Bs 44s Liverpool spot wheat flat No 1 standard, 9s 9d No 2 Canadaro 9s 7d red winter 9s 7c white Michigan 9s 1d red American spring No. 3 to 2, 7s 10d@8s 0d

Shipping Intelligence

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

VICTORIA, Aug 31—Sailed—Str Dakota San Francisco

SEATTLE Aug 31—Arrived—Ship Yosemite San Francisco

PORT TOWNSEND Aug 31—Sailed—Schr Lotitia, San Francisco

VICTORIA Aug 31—Arrived—Ekin Malay Canalaska sh W H Conner York hama

SEABECK, Aug 28—Sailed—Bark Dublin San Francisco

PORT TOWNSEND Aug 30—Sailed—Bk David Hoadley San Francisco

PORT TOWNSEND Aug. 30—Arrived—Sh Yosemite San Francisco.

NEW YORK Aug 31—Cleared—Ship Acapulco Aspinwall

SAN FRANCISCO Aug 30—Arrived—Str Gaelic Telfair Coos Bay, Chinese str Hoi Gung Gaulon Sailed—Str Idaho Victoria Brit Asterie Cork

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE

SAN FRANCISCO Aug 31

MORNING BOARD

860 Opphir	85@85½	280 Lady Wash	30c
1250 H & R	12¾@13	100 Yaroo	9c
1460 Cala	2 25@2 20	600 Leviathan	30c
480 Chollar	—4	400 Bonton	1 [illegible]25
410 Imperial	40@44c	120 Gila	31 [illegible] 00
315 Hale & Nor	9	200 Consolidated	30@3[illegible]
150 Alpha	6s@6¾	150 Quinn	30
100 Belcher	3 95@3	20 Tyler	7
400 Best	3 85@3 90	50 Savage	3
80 Bullion	60c	100 Justice	1
280 Exchequer	2 10@2 25	50 Cobb Va	4 55
25 Belcher (assessed	50	50 Point	1 80
delinquent)	10¼	50 Justice	1 10
400 Overman	—1 40	25 Alta	2 10
240 Alta	2 10@2 30	100 Scorpion	
670 Julia	4½@5c	100 Caledonia	—
2 5 Bill	80@90c	100 Andes	1 9
150 B & C	65c	100 B & C	6
50 Union	2½	50 Mexican	1
65 Senator	15	60 Confidence	
200 Sheridan	20c	40 Bullion	1

AFTERNOON BOARD

50 Eureka	16	100 Champion	3
100 Jackson	1	300 N Bodie	1
55 N Belle	1 80@1 85	100 Booker	15c
200 Gen Thomas	7	150 Mono	
100 Prize	2½	100 Pa	
150 Navajo	45	200 Dutch	
50 Argenta	30c	200 Ball &	
600 Star	30c	50 N Belle	0
800 Tuscarora	8c	50 Addenda	0
145 Paradise	30c	80 Union Con	
1425 Albion	55@60c	50 Ontario	
450 Independence	2	5 Mammoth	1
100 Mt Diablo	1 65	200	
200 N Belle Isle	40c	100 Tip Top	
285 Columbus	4 15	50 Kentuck	
20 Wales	5	50 Best	
200 Plute	1	0 Imperial	
10 Bodie	—	45	0 Con Va
425 Summit	50	65	10 Wells
250 Syndicate		5	3 Mexican
100 Good Hope		1 10	0 Belcher
50 Belvidere		14	

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A Woman Murdered

PHILADELPHIA Sept 1—The murder of April last Thomas Market street, stepped Beck and girl Kunk and Mrs property The woman daughter Lizzie 13 Beck is just recovering and frequent questioning of her by those who reached the house and this, in one of the Beck was murdered Klunk secured the body and killed her (Lizzie) and himself. She obtained enough of a day or two ago learned in veritical answers will be fully given.

Weather Crop

CHICAGO Sept 1—Prof Gen Signal Service by his family General Hazen here to-morrow to the Pacific coast special train on the C R to reach Omaha Thursday there at once via the Union Pacific and San Francisco.

Congressional

SAVANNAH Sept 1—The district have renominated Blount by acclamation for the fifth district have nominated Bacon by congress.

SALT LAKE Sept 1—Governor nominated to-day for congress convention for the fifth district.

Meteorological Telegrams

NEW YORK, Sept 1—Weather Reports received at Signal Service Bureau Washington 8 P M Stations Portland Oregon Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Cheyenne Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Omaha Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Yankton Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Duluth Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Minnedosa Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Qu'Appelle Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Prince Albert Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Battleford Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Edmonton Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Calgary Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Medicine Hat Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Assiniboine Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Benton Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Helena Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Bismarck Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Buford Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Custer Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Keogh Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Maginnis Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Shaw Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Walla Walla Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Washakie Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Yates Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Yuma Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Glendive Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Miles City Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Poplar River Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Rapid City Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Sidney Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Stevenson Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Wadsworth Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Washington Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Whipple Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Wingate Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Yates Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Yuma Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Glendive Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Miles City Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Poplar River Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Rapid City Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Sidney Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Stevenson Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Wadsworth Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Washington Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Whipple Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00 Fort Wingate Clear 70 Maximum temperature 90 Minimum temperature 52 Rainfall 00

Railroad

VICKSBURG Sept 1—The Texas Pacific track-layers have reached Rondo 30 miles west of Monroe Ouachita river. The road will be completed to Shreveport by the 15th inst.

Accident

A San Francisco paper says that in the employ of the Central Pacific railroad here to-day in the employ of the Central Pacific railroad here to-day in the employ of the Central Pacific railroad here to-day